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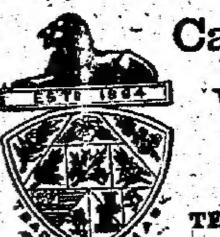
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will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd February (both days inclusive). By order of the Board of Directors. GEO. A. CARDWELL,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 3, 1903.

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NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG, CAN-TON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Offices in Bank Buildings, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 24th February, 1903, at 11 o'clock a.m., when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 7th February, 1903, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution. That the Articles of Association ho

altered in manner following :-(a.) In Article (79) "the word "nine shall be substituted for the word

(b.) In Article (88) the words 'nine the words 'seven thousand.' By Order of the Board of Directors,

T. ARNOLD. Secretary.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1903.

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31st December, 1902.
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By Order, GEO. L. TOMLIN.

Sec etary. Hongkong, February 6, 1903.

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Acting Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs, Coast Inspector's Office, Shanghai, 12th February, 19:3.

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Governor Tast and the Philip-

Now York, February 11.-It was been authoritatively stated that the Intention of the administration to return Governor Taft to the United States in the Spring to

succeed Secretary Root in the war office, has

been abandoned for the present. The intention now is that he shall remain in the Philippines until all grave questions are settled, among them the friar land

Then, if no further contingency requires his continued presence in the Philippines, he will return to the United States. If there is no vacancy on the Supreme Bench at that time, he will be appointed Secretary War until such time as there is a rotire-

ment, when he will be appointed a justice. The Philippines Currency. New York, February 10.—The De mocratic Senators notified the Republican Senators to-day that unless the latter attempted to pass a Philippine coinage bill based on a gold standard, the bill for that purpose would be abandened.

There has been a considerable change of sentiment in Congress in regard to the passage of a coinage law for the Philippines. It is now believed that the House will accept the Senate bill with some few modifications. Such an attitude has been intimated by several prominent Senators. This change of base is principally due to the efforts of the Administration, which, at the instance of the Philippine government, has been making every effort to secure some definite action before Congress adjourns. The bill will go to conference in a few days. Washington, February 12.—The President and administration profess great disappointment at the failure of congress to pass a bill extending the gold standard in some form to the Philippines. It had been hoped that such a measure would have become a law before this, and doubt that there will be any currency legislation at all this season is now being freely expressed. It is feared

that if congress adjourns without providing currency relief for the Philippines there will be further trouble in the archipelago. [The above cable is not of especial import and the friends of sound money for the Philippines have little rea on to fear from it that the situation in Washington has taken an unfavourable turn. The question will in all probability be loft as it is now until close upon the adjournment of congress, when some form of legislation will be

enneted. The U.S. Navy.

New York, Feb 7 .- The Committee on Naval Affairs of the House of Representatives has reported a bill calling for large improvements in the Navy. The bill provides for the immediate construction of three battleships which are to be of the most powerful kind and not to be equalled by those of any other country. One fast cruiser is also provided for in the bill. The amount to be appropriated is seventy-

nine millions. This act contains a wide enlargement of the personel of the Navy, to meet the shortege of officers which now exists. Strong opposition is promised to the measure by a nonpartisan hody, led by Senator Hoar, who insist that the naval strength of the United States is now sufficient. The bill has however the support of the President and the Secretary of the Navy and of the people, among whom the impression is growing that the United States may before long have to defend the

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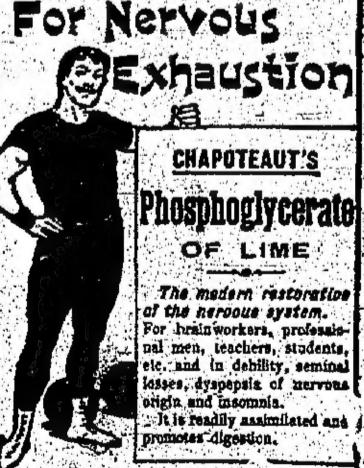
(b.) An impressed stamp bearing on cither side in Chinese the words Wing Shing Lung Pure Gold Loaf, and in the middle at the top, surmoun ed by an ornamental justiern of Dragons the Chinese words ! Tut Tung Sheung Wan Hongkong Wing Shing Ling Old Shop, and beneath these words in the centre Wing Sing Lung No. 1 100 touch Gold Leaf, and below that again in an ornamental border the same words in

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Indian Army News. January 3: .- It is notified that the 12th Bengal Infantry is to be mustered out at Benaves and reorganised as a Proneer class company regiment of Hindu Jata and Lobana Sikhs, the same as the 48th Bongal Pioneers with which it will be linked.

cable, dated London, 1st February, says the agitation in London for the exclusion of undesirable aliens is becoming exceedingly strong, and many Peers and commoners, including several Liberals, are expressing

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'From the age of nireteen until I completed my twenty-third year, I did not know what it was to be well for a single day,' writes Mrs R. Huntley, of 65. Ultimo Road, Ultimo, Sydney, N.S.W., under date 19th June, 1902. 'But for Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup it is doubtful if I should be here to-day to describe my experiences. My ailment was chronic biliousness and dyspepsia. Words are inadequate to convey a concention of my sufferings during that a conception of my sufferings during that wiserable period. I was then a tailor's machinist, employed in that capacity by Messra. Godferson & Smith, of the Royal Arcade, Sydney. Ordinary food was poison to me, and I was obliged to exist on soda-water, milk, plain biscuits, and dry toast. Even that fare would sometimes distress me to an intolerable degree My skin turned sallow, my eyes sank and were surrounded by dark, hollow circles. I slept only by fits and starts, my slumbers being haunted and harassed by horritte dreams and nightmares. There was a duli continuous pain between my shoulders and in my right side. I grew thinner; until I was reduced to mere skin and bone, and became so weak that I could hardly walk to my place of business. Often the noise of my sewing-machine, and the close air of the workroom, would bring on a splitting headache that maddened me. Then there were fits of retching ane vomiting, which troubled me with great frequency. When there was nothing in the stomach to come up, I would retch and · strain until become exhausted and faint, when my workmates would improvise a couch for me with their cloaks and jackets, and I would lie for hours upable to move. I was treated by three doctors; but I bolieve the medicines they prescribed irritated my stomach and did me more harm than good. After four years of misery I was persuaded to try what Mother Seigel's Curative Syrnp could do for me, and within a few days began to mend at such at rate that eve youe who know me was amazed at the improvement in my condition. The vomiting ceased, the hue of health returned to my cheeks. my eyes bright-ned, and at the end of two months I was in every respect thoroughly

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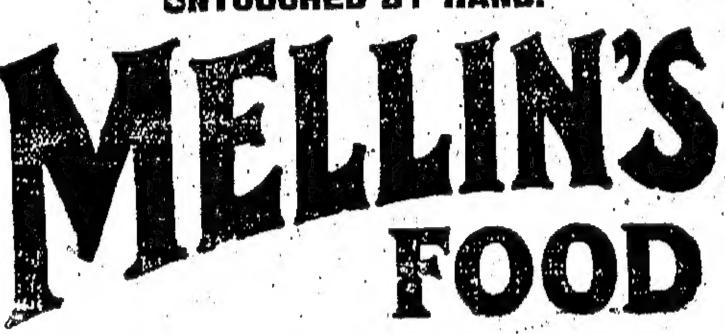
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lenheira.	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	Lieut. Com. F. M. Leake	Hankow
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ritomart	gunboat, 1st class	12,000	14	21,000	Captain Henry M. Tudor	Amoy ^
ressy	cruiser, 1st class	390		300		Hongkong
herub	water tank and tug		11	9600	Captain Robert H. S. Stokes	Amoy
clipse	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	. 11		Captain Londin Line	
-ic	g.bt. 3rd class coast defunca	363		200	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Hongkonp .
spiègle	gools	1070	10	1400	Comur. Edition Dation	Shanghei
am.	tornedo hoat destroyer	360		6700	O to a Table 1 Contract	
earless	cruiser, 3rd class	1580	12	3200	Coundr. John J. Graham	Hongkong
irebradd irebradd	gunboat, 2nd class	455	4	280	In Reservo	Hongkong
lory	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain W. A. Carrer	Manila
	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Capt. F. H. Henderson, C.M.G.	Hongkong
oliath	torpedo boat destroyer	275	tí	400)	Lieur, Com. G. O. Hardy	Weihaiwei
andy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	40(K)		Shanghai
art		1640		800	Comdr. J. D. Daintree	Hongkong
umber	втогенир		a	3900	Fleet Reserve	Hongkone
inus	torpedo boat destroyer	280	9		Lt. Comdr. G. B. Powell	Yangies-Kiang
insha	river gunboat	100	*	000	Lt. Comdr. G. G. Webster	Canton
oorhen	river gunboat	180	. Z	800	G. 1 G W M Dlanderlauth	Hongkong
utine .	eloop	980	10	1400	Comdr. C. W. M. Plenderleath	Hongkong
cean	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain R. W. White	
ter .	torpedo boat destroyer	350	6	6330	Lt. Com. C. P. Mansel	Shangha
nonix	gloop	1015	6 ]	1400	Commander W. H. Nicholson	Amoy
ROILA	cruser, 2nd class	3600	8	7000	Cant. Harry C. Raynolds	Hongkona
que	Surveying-vessel	835	6	650	Captain Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
mbler -		980	10	1400	Com. D. St. A. Wake	Hongkong
naldo	sloop	85	2	240	Lt. Com. John P. Irven	Cauton
bin e	river gunboat	980	ã	1400	Condr. C. A. W. Hamilton	Shaughai
satio	gloop		2	240	Lieut. Com. Murray Lockhart	Hongkong
ndpiper	river gunboat	85			LtComdr. Worsley	Shanghai .
ipe A A	river gunboat	85	8	240	Fleet Reserve	Hongko g
ku .	torpedo boat destroyer	250		6500*	Chair Tamis Posis	
lbot	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	8600	Captain Lewis Bayly	Hongkong
mar	receiving ship	4650	6	-	Commedera Robinson	Hongsorg .
al	river gunboat	180	2	800	LtComdr. R. W. Dalgety	Shanghei
eed .	coast defence gunboat	363	3	200	Lieut. Forbes	Woosung .
	sloop	. 980	10	1400 -	Coundr. S. St. John Farquhar	Hongkong
stal	surveying ship	620		450	LtComdr. Ernest C. Hardy	Hungkour
terwitch	pomode host deutrores	360	6	5900	LtCom. C. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Shanghai
hiting	torpedo boat destroyer	159	2	550	LieutCom. Hugh Somerville	Hankow.
odcock	river gunboat		2-	550	LieutCom Chileoth	Shanghr.
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See Flag of Vice-Admiral Sir Cyprian A. G. Bridge, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief.

\* \* Flag of Rear-Admiral Harry T. Grenfell, C.M.G.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station

3.	Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Gins.	H.F	<b>?.</b>	Captain.	Last reported
1 7	Kaiser Karl VI	Austrian cruiser	6250	20	12,800	) ·-	Captain Dredger	Nanking
- 1	**		300				Lieut. A. Belloy	Shangasi
	louette	French gunboat Fronch gunboat	300		-	- ! .	Capt. Crespin	Canton (
	Lepic .	French gunbost	475	3	450	0	Commander Journet	Saigon
$\lceil \cdot \rceil_{\mathcal{A}}$	lyalanche	French gunboat	+	<u> </u>	_	- j i	Lieut. Fitle	Ganton River Haiphong
1	Bengali	French gunbost French cruiser	580 4 <b>0</b> 09	19	9000		Capt. Lefèvre	Nanking
8 1	Buggaud Chateaurenault	French cruiser	800	-		_	Captain de Pampelonne	Saigon
	lomete	French gunboat	525	-	i	- }	Commander Louel	Haiphong
vill	Decidéo :	French gunboat	690	1	10.50		Commander Leamy	Shanghai Tonkin
	Entrecaster 11	French flauship French cruiser	8114 3739	14	13,500		Captain Fournet Captain Serris	Woosung
	Friant Kerssint	French gunbost	1250	6	220	0 t	Capt. Le Golleur	Canton
	don	French gunboat	470	-	-	-	Capt. Bécue	Saigon
16	Dirg	French gunboat	0000	1 1	0.00	7	Capt. Hurst Captain Seuès	Yangtee Shanghai
2	Pascal	French cruiser French cruiser	3988 9437	14	4 850 607	ĭ	Captain Bonifoy	Shanghai 1
	Redoubtable Styr	French cruiser	1600	-			Capt. Vincent	Saigon :
1-3	Surprise	French gunbost	629	2	90	0	Captain Mornet	Kwongchauwan
- j.:	lakiang	French gunboat		- 4		-	Captain Blondel	Yangtae Along Bay
	Vauban	French cruiser French gunboat	1			<u> </u>	C.Appenta Dionage	Canton
	Vigilant Vipere	French gunboat	400	4	44	1 -	Condr. Villeneuve	. Saigon
i	, ipoto	* at		1 :			The state of the s	Kiautschou
- 1.	Bussard	German cruiser	1600	36	290 14,00	0	Comdr. Huss Captain Friedrich	Amoy
	Fürst Bismarck	German flagship German cruiser	11,000 1600	8	14,00	_	Condr. Wuthmann	Hongkons
	Geiet Hansa	German cruiser	6000	20	10,00		Capt, van Sommern	Amoy
	Herths	German cruiser	6000	20	10,00		Capt. Tugenofil Count Commander Pisten	Amoy Hongkoug
4	Iltis	German gunboat German gunboat	990	10 10	130	)) )()	Condr. Wilbrandt	Shapgher
	Jaguar	German gunboat	850	10			Condr. Kroencke	<b>Xangtae</b>
4	Luchs Seeadler	German cruiner	1600	. 8	280	10	Comdr. Hoffmann	Nanking
	Tiger )	German gunboat	800	10	180	90	Comdr. Schrader LieutComdr. von Weise	Hongkong Shangha
	Vorwaerts	German gunboat German cruser	A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR	-			Captain Dick	Shanghai
π-	Thetis	German Crisico	4		*	540		
-	Lombardia	Italian cruisor	2900	10	.88		Captain John Boet	Shangha
39	Marco Polo	Italian cruiser	4583	16 32	10.5		Captain Botti Captain Armona	Amoy Shanghai
	Piemonte	Italian cruiser Italian cruiser	2500 4500	14	12,0	20	Captain Zezi	Shanghai
	Vesuvio	200202			1	1.1		100
	Diu	Portuguese gunboat	720	-	3		Captain d'Azavedo	Macao Macao
ា	Zaire	Portuguese gunboat	600	1 -	× 0.	_	Capt. F. J. Barboza Leal	an acab
	Alcout	Rossian gunbost	- 610	- 6	7	30	Comdr. Guinter	Vladivostach
- 1	Amaur	Russian cruiser	2600	5	47	00	Comdr. Gramatchikeff	Port Arthur
15	Askold	Russian cruiser	8500 1050	8	.515	60	Capt. Reitzeaschtein Comdr. Zaleveky	Nagasaki Newchwang
ing	Bobro	Russian gunboat	500	T		00	Comdr. Yourieff	Port Arthus
the	Gaidamak Gremiastchy	Russian gunboat	1490	6	20	000	Comdr. Zagarausky	Shanghai
poa	Gromoboi	Russian battleship	12,364		14,8	000	Captain Jessen Comdr. Shumoff	Nagasaki Shanghai
11	Guiliak	Russian gunboat Russian gunboat	1000	1		500	Comdr. Novakowsky	Nanking
	Koreetz Mandiour	Kursian gunboat	1224	7		100	Commander Muraviel	Shanghad
÷ • • •	Occajny	Russian gunboat	1490			000	Comdr. Vasilieff Captain Koroleff	Port Arthur
1	Peresviet	Russian battleship Russian battleship	12,674				Captain Jakovloff	Nagasaki Port Arthur
100	Petropavlovek Poltava	Russian battleship	10,960	The state of the s		Birn	Captain Overoff	Port Arthur
lice	Rasboynica	Russian cruiser	1334	10		786	Comdr. Liven	Kwongchanwan
1	Rossia	Russian protected cruiser	12,200			250%	Captsin Sepelrennipoff Capt. Matusevich	Vladivostork Nagasaki
<del></del>	Rurik	Russian protected cruiser Russian battleship	10,923			600	Captain Serebrennikoff	Nagasaki
	Sevastopol Silatch	Russian gunboat	950		2 1	125	Lieut. Comdr. Ivanoff	Port Arthur
1	Sivootch	Russian gunboat	1054	we work to be a second		120.	Comdr. Cinter	Port Arthur
3.	Varyag	Russian cruiser	650 50		9 20,	000 300	Capt. Bahr. Comdr. Zagoriansky-Kissal	Port Arthur Port Arthu
· 1/	Vendnik	Russian gunboat Russian cruiser	123			194	Coundr. Abramoff	Port Arthur
EM.	Zabiaka					7.4		
10.7	Annapolis	U. S. gunboat	100			277	Commander Karl Rohrer Commander C. G. Bowman	Marie Committee
a.D	Don Juan de Austria	U. S. gunboat U. S. gunboat	115		<u> </u>	L600	LieutComdr. J. M. Helm	Manila
fron	E Louis	U. S. gunboat	180	0 -	-	_	LieutComdr. W. F. Halse	Manila
lhan	Helena	U. S. gunboat	139	2	8	1988	Couldr. R. R. Ingersoll	Meni
	Isla de Cebu	U. S. gunboat	40		1 10	000	Comdr. Parker Captain C. H. Stockton	Hongkong
th.	- Kentucky	U. S. flagship U. S. gunboat	11.40			.750	Captain C. H. Stevens	Manila Manila
ECI	Manila Monadnock	U. S. monitor	14.19			3000	Captain Mahan	Shaughsi
1 4 2 5	Monocacy	U. S. gunbost	3.17	0	8	155J	Comdr. F. M. Wise	Tako
*47	Monterey	U. S. monitor	414		4	5244	Comdr. Dr.ke LieutComdr. Sperry	Hongkong
AN	New Orleans	U. S. cruiser U. S. flagship	820		24 17	7.401	Captain M. R. S. Mackenzie	Manila Amoy
4.	New York Princeton	U. S. gunboat	110	00	6	800	Commander J. P. Selfridge	
	Rainbow	U. S. gnnboat	100	00	<b>-</b>	M. <del></del>	Comdr. Leander	Hongkong
.,	Vicksburg	U. S. cruiser	10	W A	10	1118	Commander E B. Barry	Manil.

Commander Ward

Commander E. S. Frime

Amoy

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U. S. gunbost

Vicksburg

Wilmington

Yorktown

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

In consequence of Dr Pentecost's

An old Chinese woman was sweeping

A feature of the present Criminal ses-

sions has been the utter absence of briefs

'my learned friends' was left to Sir Henry

Berkeley to do, and he seemed quite lonely.

It is true that Mr Morgan Phillips was re-

charge being abandoned, the owner of the

four words to say, "I thank your Lordship.

Dr Morrison, the Times correspondent

Peking, recently made another trip

letters on 'Manchuria and the Russian

Railway.' At the present moment, when

the question of a gold currency for Hong-

kong is under discussion, it is noteworthy.

that the Russians have introduced the gold

standard in Manchuria, and apparently

without any evil effects. In fact, trade

seems to be prospering. It would not be

fair to attribute this prosperity to the gold

standard, but it is at least fair to point out

that a district in as close touch with the

China market as Hongkong can use the

gold standard without disastrous results.

Dr Morrison writes :- It is five years since

I was last in Kirin. Undoubtedly the

City is larger, richer and more prosperous

than it was then. Everyone admits that.

freedom. Harvests have been good, prices

high, and prosperity universal. Rouble

notes circulate in Manchuria literally by

currency. They are easily carried and

ensily concealed, and are familiar from one

end of Manchuria to the other. It is vir-

tually a gold standard that has been given

to see the Brough Comedy Company in

'Are you a Mason?' The farce was play-

ed with all the vivacity and froshness of a

first performance, with the result that all

the most telling points were brought out

well, and the interest of the audience kept

alert from start to finish. Mr Leslie Victor

as 'George Fisher' has fine scope for his

ability and makes a great hit, especially

when he impersonates the French milliner

Mr and Mrs Brough were both received

with hearty welcoming applause on their

appearance on the stage. There is not the

slightest doubt that the Broughs have wor

the hightest respect of the public of Hong-

kong, and although it is perhaps invidious

to set up comparisons between visiting

companies of strolling players, it seems to

us that the community of Hongkong, un

consciously, place the Brough Company on

a level by themselves, and that the highest

one. They are never disappointing. The

latest lightest comedies and farces are pro-

duced upon each visit; they are well dress-

ed and well acted; and the careful atten-

tion to detail is evidence of the high fech-

nical skill of the practised proprietor and

stage manager. Last night's audience en-

loyed a hearty laugh, and those who miss

Robinson's are now open six nights in

an optimist tries to capitalize rainbows.

WHAT IS A COUGH?

spasmodic effort to expel the much

from the bronchial tubes. A cold

canses a more abundant secretion of mucus,

and when the lungs and bronchial tubes

to the irritation. Unless care is taken, the

are inflamed, they are extremely sensitive

cold may result in pneumonia, which

one, the more leisurely but equally fatal

cold or cough. Take Chamberlain's Cough

consumption may set in. Do not neglect a

to the Chinese in Manchuria,

The Brough Company.

Gold Standard in Manchuria.

meeting, the Union Church Literary Club

meeting will not be held this week.

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Auctions.

11 a.m. - Auction of Sundry Good and Effects, at Messes Hughes and Hough's Sales Rooms. 2 30 p.m. -- Auction of Household Furni

ture, No at No. 5 Stewart Termee,

The Peak. Meeting. 5.30 p m - Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

Miscellaneous. 2.30 p.m.-Competition for Spoons of the Hongkong Rifle Association. Amusements.

9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. Coneral Memoranda.

Suspay, February 22 :-Goods per Benalder undelivered after this date subject to rent. MONDAY, February 23 :-

Noon.-Meeting of Bhareholders Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. Ltd., at the Company's Office. Tuesday, February 24:---

11 a.m. - Extraordinary General Meeting of The Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

ednesday, February 25 :--11 a m .- Auction of Cardiff Coal at Tsim-tsa.tsui on Marine Lots, 4 & 5. TRUBSDAY, February 26 :-5 30 p.m.-Meeting of Eethen Mark did not show so good form or staying

THUBSDAY, March 5 :-11.30 a.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of to 0. The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at the Company's Offices.



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ROCAL AND GENERAL.

On January 24, at Bangkok, the Wife of Notes by the Way, Monsieum A. Sine, Directeur, Banque de Late Telegrams will be found on Pages 2 and 3.

BIRTHS.

MARRIAGE.

At the Peak Church on the 18th Feb-

DEATHS.

of Katherine E. and August J. C. Holtz,

Imperial Maritime Customs Service; aged

On the 14th February, 1903, at 33, Sze-

chuen Road, Shanghai, GERTRUDE, infant

daughter of Mr & Mrs Hunnesen ; sged 51

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

It is understood that the Dominion

A telegram dated 2nd inst. says:-Dead

It having been reported that the pre-

valence of cholera in Manila has ceased,

the Sanitary Board, on the motion of Dr

Clark, has passed a recommondation to the

Government to withdraw the proclamation

In the second round of the Football

the Happy Valley yesterday. The game

bordered on roughness, but the Engineers

power as the Foresters, who won by 3 goals

copies of the Overland China Mail contain-

ing a full report of the Currency Meeting

can have them on application to this Office.

Price 35 cents per copy (cash). Only a

limited number will be printed, so that

orders should be sent early. Copies will

Malaria fever of a malignant type has

been prevalent in the neighbourhood of

Modrison Hill Gap, lately; so the Sanitary

Board have recommended the Government

to drain the bed of a nullah to the South of

the Sikh temple, and also two streams in

Richmond Road. The latter suggestion

was added at the request of Mr Fung Wa

In a table showing the number of

cabin and steerage passengers landed at the

port of New York during the year 1902 by

the leading steamship lines, the North

Gorman Lloyd easily head the list with

125 trips and 27,767 cabin and 110,697

steerage passengers. The Hamburg-

America Line comes second and the White

The Straits Times of the 10th just,

says: - Yesterday a rumour was spread to

he suffers, and fell, striking his head.

foreseen takes place, the Admiral will leave

for home in company with Mr Buckley by

Under this heading, the Manth Cable

news of the 15th inst. says :- If Congress

fails to pass a stable currency bill for the

Philippines, Mexican currency will receive

a strong stimulus and may soor to old time.

prices. This is the dictum of a prominent

banker, who believes that currency legisla-

intimated that the induence is being felt

already, and there is no doubt that the ad-

journment of Congress without having

the metal after its strenuous experience

in the Straits Settlements, Mexico and

other places. In this connection, it is

learned, that officials of the government

are beginning to be alarmed for the safety

abandoning hope for its passage. So the

sound advice to those who are long on Mex.

would seem to be that they wait a little

the P. and O. s.s. Malta, on April 3rd.

Hold on to your Mex.

Atlantic Passenger Traffic.

Admiral Keppel.

be posted to any address supplied.

To Stem Malaria.

of obtaining

rats have been found in Calcutta in increas-

ing numbers during the past few weeks.

corresponding week of last year.

declaring the port infected.

The Currency Meeting.

Subscribers desirous

Removing the Ban.

Football Tie.

Government will introduce a Bill establish-

ing a Canadian Naval Reserve.

AtWarning to Calcutta.

at 5.20 p m.

The Navy.

Vital Facts.

The Gorman Mail of the 21st January

nawspaper in Berlin to emulate the London On the 6th February, at Swatow, Nonau KATHERINE MERCER, the dearly loved child

The Lancashire and Hampshire C C

The 1st Seaforth Highlanders and the 74th Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, have left Cairo for India.

in Suffolk, has been released, - the Crown The China Mail. having entered a nolle prosequi.

merly opposed to General Bell in the Batangas province of Luzon, is now U.S. Government. He 'is considered knows every man, woman and child

Shanghai.

The death rate of Hongkong for the A collision outside the harbour has week ended January 24 was 12.5, in contrast with 17.1, the previous week, and 17.5, the rate per 1,000 recorded for th to the extent of over \$1,000.

Fires in the Philippines.

A disastrous fire occurred in the Tondo estimated at about \$10,000. None of the insurance houses is affected. One hundred and fifty houses were destroyed at Calumpit homeless. The loss, estimated at \$95,000,

Shield competition 'B' Co., Sherwood Stolen Flour. Foresters, and the Royal Engineers met at

P. C. 23, Counsell, took a Chinaman into custody, last night, and charged him with being in possession of a quantity of flour under suspicious circumstances, Part of the flour was in a small tub and the remainder in a pair of Chinese trousers lying at the bottom. A further charge of harbour to avoid seizore was preferred against him; and Mr Hazeland fined him \$100 or three months' imprisonment with hard labour.

The third prisoner in the Diocesan School case, tried yesterday, showed little spoils of victory. or no regard for the gravity of his position. When asked to explain his conduct, he re- The Late Sir G. G. Stokes. quested the Chief Justice to send for the: Colonial Secretary. 'What will be say to of Sir G. G. Stokes, the distinguished help you, asked his Tordship. 'I don't scientist, Sir George Stokes was born in know, returned the prisoner, 'but I sup- Sligo nearly eighty-five years ago, and pose he'll say something.' Don't mind graduated as Senior Wrangler in 1841 him, interjected calprit No. 1; he's Eight years later, he was appointed Lucasian

The Japanese of the Colony are mourning the death of Prince Komatsu, who died in Japan on Wednesday night. The Prince represented the Court of the Mikado at the Coronation of King Edward and was highly popular amongst our allies. At every shop almost, in the Japanesa districts, tokens of respectful sofrow, -thigs, etc. were displayed. The warships in the harbour, of course, (a special telegraph message having been sent to the British Admiral), flew flags at ball

Dr Pentecost's Meetings.

made in the order of Dr Pentecoat's meetings, as follows :- The general meeting advertised for 5.15 p.m. to-morrow (Saturday) is cancelled. On Monday, the only meeting will be a general one at 8,30 p.m. at the City Hall. On Tuesday, there will be a general meeting at 5.15 p.m. in the City Hall. On Wednesday, at 8:30 p.m.; Dr Penteenst will lecture on The Reasonableness of Christianity, 'instead of as previously announced. His inimediate appointments are. To-night, at 8.30 p.m., an address to Men Only at the City Hall on 'The Life-choice of a Great Man, with special application to young men. To-morrow, at 11 a.m., an Address to Ladies Only at the City Hall. The Sunday morn-Theatre at 8 o'clock.

TO PREVENT CROUP. DEGIN in time. The first symptom hoarseness, this is soon followed by a nized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the shild first becomes hourse. If Cham! of currency legislation and are rapidly tendency to croup will soon disappear.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Rough on the Rats. 1,415 rats (53 infected) were caught in Victoria; and 2,231 (16 infected), in Kowloon, during the week ended 16th inst.

Cricket

The following will represent the Union Church against Craigengower C.C. to-morrubbish on an upper floor of a house at row at the Happy Valley, commencing at Queen's Road, West Point, when she mis-2.15 p m :--J. W. C. Bonnar, W. Brand, sed her footing and fell downstairs. She Claret, C. R. S. Cooper, W. M. Everall, G. was removed to hospital. Grimble, Rev. C. H. Hickling, G. P. Lammort, A. Mackenzie, Wel's and D. Wood. No Briefs.

To-morrow afternoon, on the Happy for defending counsel. All the talking of Valley, the V. R. C. will play H.M S. Aryonaut in the second round of the Shield Competition. Kick-off at four o'clock. The following will play for the V.R.C .:-Goal-C. R. Fittock ; Backs-R. Lapsley (Capt.). G. Duncan ; Halves-H. C. Austen, J. Mitchell, R. Henderson; Forwards -H. A. Seth, A. Humphreys, E. R. Herton, H. S. Holmes and H. W. Sayer.

Admiral Dewey Seriously Ill.

Admiral Dewcy, we learn from Manila exchanges, is reported to be seriously ill. through Manchuria and Eastern Siberia, Referring to the over-estimation of Dewey's victory over Montojo, one contemporary say- truly :- One fact will go down toghisfourth-class inspector of police under the tory linked with the name of George Dewey. He filled the opportunity offered to him as fully as any man could have done. may be said that Dewey's battle in Manila Bay was not a great battle, but it can never be said that it was not fought and won in a masterly way.

Long Speeches at Public Meetings.

Wa have received the following letter which may be amusing to some of our readers. We need hardly say that though we sometimes buy 'copy' by the column, we do not sell it by the yard :-

Honored Sahib, -I am old Havildar Hongkong Regiment. God gave my Regiment plenty money. I buy 5 dock shares. My friend say our Indian man must ask Dockmaster why not pay more. . Chaukidar, Hongkong Club, he say you sell words \$5 one yard to Indian man who not talk much English. Please you sell me one dollar of words to ask Dockmaster like Englishman, and I will always pray GOPAL SINGH.

War : Memorials.

Numerous souvenirs of the late war in South Africa have been distributed among the centres of population in Great Britain. Has it ever occurred to His Excellency Sir Henry Blake that Hongkong, at one and of the British Empire, might obtain a having flung a part of his spoils into the chuple of captured guns or some such thing as a souvenir for Hongkong? Hongkong was as patriotic as any other Colony and offered its blood and treasure; (depreciated dollars !) in the common cause, and if not much of that same was accepted it was the Colony's fault. We shared in the patriotism, and might now share in the

The death is announced from England Professor of Mathematics at Cambridge. In 1854, he was elected one of the Secretaries of the Royal Society, and, or the retirement of Huxley'in 1885, he was elected President of the Society, and held office till he resigned in 1890. For five years, he sat in the House of Commons as one of the representatives of Cambridge University, and while there, in 1889, he was created a Paronet. Honours innumerable were showered on him by learned societies in Europe and America for hi work in mathematics and physics. Up, to the time of his death, he remained Lucasian Professor and Master of Pem-

The Belleville Boilers.

It is not a little disquieting (says Home paper) to discover that the Canopits, one of the few vessels with water-tube boilers which made a distinctly good showing on the recent return-(to illustrate the relative cost of repairs in water-tube and tank-boiler ships) is in such a condition that she will have to be brought home at the end of her first commission to th Mediterration for what is virtually the renewal of her boilers. It would be in turesting to know if the Glory, which, of all the Canopus class, made the worst appearance in that return, is in as bad a case. The class have Belleville boilers with economisers, and are new ships, having been completed between 1899 and 1902. The Canopus is to be replaced in th Mediterranean Fleet by the new battleship Russell, of the Duncan type, which will commission in February next. The Russell is one of the ships built under the special programme of 1898, in answer to the additions which Russia made to her teet in that year; was laid down in 1899, and launched in 1901. She also has Bel leville boilers with economisers, and her Her despatch to the Mediterranean seems to indicate that the Admiralty do no

Luck has no place in the vocabulary of the Remedy. It always cures and cures quick-

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

THE PANAMA CANAL CO.

LONDON, February 18, 1903. Subject to the ratification of a pending treaty with Colombia, the United States have agreed to purchase the Papama Canal # Co.'s property rights for \$40,000,000.

MR CHAMBERLAIN IN SOUTH

AFRICA. Mr Chamberlain has arrived at Cape Town. He stopped at the extreme Dutch Centre Pastlen route, where he met with lukewarm reception.

PARLIAMENT AND THE KANO EXPEDITION.

Mr Austen Chamberlain, roplying to Sir tained by the Crown to defend the prisoners | Charles Dilke, denied that Lord Onslow's in the Quarry Bay case, but the capital despatch to Colonel Lugard implied a consure. The Government had absolute Derby second favourite was left with but confidence in Colonel Lugard's judgment and experience.

> Admiral Lord Charles Beresford has been appointed to the command of the

Channel Squadron. . . and the result is a series of interesting MR CHAMBERLAIN INSOUTH AFRICA. Mr Chamberlain entered Cape Town this morning, and was warmly cheered by large crowds Speaking at Greenmarket Square,

he said that he hoped all the Colonists

would denite in loyalty despite the appar-

ent chronic antagonism. He appealed to

all to forget the past and accept a pros

NAVAL,

JAPAN AND COREA.

N. C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE].

Tokio, February 14. The Corean imbroglio is at an end. Japan has not asked for compensation but has contended : first, for the withdrawal of It is now a great city throbbing with the veto on the bank notes; secondly, for activity. Suffering nothing during the an apology from Corea, and a promise Boxer trouble, it has since been curiched that the circulation of the notes shall not be by the presence of a foreign army which | obstructed in the future; thirdly, for the spends money with almost ostentations | carrying out of last year's agreement concerning the non-levy of illegal duties on the Nakdong traffic, and the appointment of a Minister Plenipotentiary at the millions. They are the most favoured Japanese Court.

> THE GOVERNMENT OF THE TRANSVAAL.

LONDON, February 14. The Government has offered Generals Boths and Delarey seats on the Transvaal Legislative Council. The two Generals There was another full house last night have refused the offer, not because they were unwilling to work with the Government, but because they thought that the manner in which the new Council is to be formed will not conduce to the hest interests of the country.

MR BALFOUR ON THE

MONROE DOCTRINE. Mr Balfour, the Prime Minister, speaking at Liverpool, said that the Monroe Doctrine had no enemies in England, but it would be a great gain to civilisation if the United States concerned themselves more actively with preventing the recurring difficulties between European and South America's Governments, by getting the latter to observe the principles of international comity.

Shakespeare in Japanese.

Mr 'Suiin' Emi has turned 'Othello into Japanese. Florence is Tokio, Cyprus s Formosa, Othello is a Japanese General sent to Formosa to suppress a rebellion and appointed Governor-General of the island. Desdeurona becomes Miss Tombre, and Brabantio Count Fura, and so on,

seeing the farce will most certainly regret Eruptions and Influenza.

it. To-night, there will be another oppor-A correspondent writes/as follows to tunity of seeing 'Are you a Mason?' and The Standard :- Having read your very to-morrow night the first of three perform. interesting article in The Standard of the ances of 'Second in Command' will be 6th inst., on the subject of recent volcanie given. This comedy is from the pen of eruptions as inflencing the appearance of Captain Marshall, and Mr Brough has the the sunsets, may I ask for a small space in acting rights of it for Australia and the The Standard to allude to another point of East. It was produced at the Haymarket general interst with regard to the great Theatre, and ran for upwards of two years. eruption of Krakatos in 1883, and to Upon purchasing the rights of the p'ay, Mr. suggest a theory which has for some time Brough placed an order with Mesers L. and presented itself to my mind-viz., that H. Nathan, who had designed and executed the outbreak of influenza, which occurred the uniforms and dresses for the Haymarket soon afterwards, if I remember rightly, and production. The Haymarket effects are which seems to have come to stay with us, therefore reproduced as far as the local may be traced to the conveyance of the stage will permit, and the production pro- influenza poison by the dust caused by that s to be one of the most memorable in eruption, and which was carried so many Hongkong of recent years. On Wednes- thousands of miles ? If I remember aright, day next, Carton's Lady Huntworth's China and Japan were the first countries Experiment' will be produced. This is affected by this epidemic, which at the time another lively farce. The Box plans at was attibuted to other causes. These countries would naturally be the first to suffer, from their comparative proximity to Krakstoa. Another feature of that epidemic was that a large proportion of the globe was suffering from it almost simultaneously. I have been on the coast of Java, and had an opportunity of observing the symptoms of Java Fever, and I was much struck with the great similarity between that complaint and a severe attack of influenza. This theory seems to me a plausible one, and may possibly have been suggested before, but I have not heard of its having been so. I should be glad if any of your readers could give me information

WHISKY of great age ... 12.00 passed the bill will tend largely to revive

C. -ABERLOUR-GLENLIVET ... 13.50

was delivered in London on the 18th inst.

The Kaiser's friends are starting a

committees oppose the proposal to widen the wickets.

Gardiner, the Sunday School preacher, who was charged with the murder of a girl

The sudden death from heart disease is reported of Lieut. H. Pullan, R.N.R., late chief officer of the P. and O. India and brother of the late Mr C. A. Pullan of

Ex-Insurgent General Gonzales, for valuable addition to the constabulary, as he the province.

Junk Damaged.

been reported to the police. An unknown steamer ran down a junk, crusing damage

district of Manila on the 15th inst. Over thirty houses were destroyed. The loss is on the same day, and 700 people rendered is not covered by insurance.

Chinese Bluff.

Mourning their Prince.

the effect that Admiral Keppel was very ill. Several further changes have been was attacked by one of the fits, from which receiving the news, Mr Buckley at once proceeded to Iskander Hall, Johore, wherethe Admiral is staying with his friend, the Dato Meldrum, and found that the Admiral had not sustained any severe injury but was quito cheerful. Provided nothing uning service of the Wanchai Wesleyan Church will be transferred to the City Hall when the Rev. Dr Pentecost will preach. Service to commence at 10 o'clock. On Sunday evening, a General Meeting in the

peculiar rough cough, which is easily recog- performance will be watched with interest. berlain's Cough Remedy is freely given, all intend to use the Duncan class to give the swift and deadly. If the cold is a lingering country an up-to-date North Sea squadron. it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in given this remedy as it contains cures quickly. For sale by All Dealers; place a P' before it and spell it pluck, Ltd., General Agents. WATERNS Ltd., General Agents.

Hon. W. Chatham, Water Authority, sends us the following analysis of the water supply :-

Level and Storage of Water in Reservoirs on the 1st February, 19.3:-

Tytam, boft. Lin. below | 20 ft. 2 in. Below overflow Pokfulam, 21 ft. o in. 22 ft. 62 in. Below overflow below overflow .... Wong Nei Cheong. 44 ft. 34 ft. 0 in. Below overflow 24 in. below overflow... PROBLEM SPREET

222,520,00 4,100,000 91,486,000

Consumption of Water in the City of Victoria and Hill District during the month of January:-

7,448,000 gal'ns 000,874,000 Vatimated population ... Consumption per head | Intermittent supply in force during January of both years,

Consumption of Water in Kowloon Peninaula during the month of January :-

Consumption ...... 10,478,000 Extimated population ... Consumption per head per day ...... . The Government Analyst reports that

the water is of excellent quality. W. CHATHAM,

#### SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Briefe His Honour Sir William Goodinan K.O. Chief Justice.) Friday, February 20, 1903.

THE QUARRY BAY FATAL APPRAY, The Court was transformed when the fineteen prisoners charged with participating in the Quarry Bay fatal affray were led into the tribunal, to stand their trial. The seats usually occupied by jurors in waiting were removed to the space occupied by the regular dock, and thus the cross-rail was left clear to enclose the alleged rioters. who, each having a numbered circular plate slung from his neck, were lined up behind

the bar, a motley group. Sir Henry S. Berkeley, Attorney General (instructed by Mr F. B. L. Bowley, Crown Solicitor), prosecuted on behalf of the Grown; and Mr Morgan Phillips, defended. Sir Henry Berkeley intimated that he had decided to enter a notte prosequi in the charge of murder which had been prepared, and to put forward, instead a charge of wounding with intent, and a second charge of riot.

His Lordship said that having read the depositions he quite agreed with this course. It would be far more satisfactory.

Sir Henry Berkeley said he was glad hear those words from his Lordship's lips, because it was a great responsibility to have to decide either way. He had decided to abandon the capital charge, owing to the difficulty of ascertsining who really caused the death of the Indian watchman. His Lordship complimented Mr Morgan Phillips upon the success of his defence, The charge of murder having been with drawn, he need not remain in court, of course, except he chose to do so.

Mr Morgan Phillips-Thank you, my The charge was then read to th prisoners, who pleaded not guilty. The following jury tried the case: Messrs E. E. da Silva, A. S. Gomez, Jr.

A. C. do S. Alves, Charles Warren, R. B.

Cooper, William Puddepha, and F. P.

Sir Henry Borkeley natrated the incidents which led up to the riot, telling the jury that it could not be urged in excuse of the conduct of the coolies that the watchman had acted wrongly in snatching the wood from the Chinese women; or in committing the assault which, undoubtedly, led up to the fatal affair. His conduct was wrong, but the women had their remedy, as they were afterwards shown, when the watchman was fined \$100. They should have gone to the police and taken out a summons, instead of which the Chinese had allowed a spirit of revenge to take possession of their wits. Since the days when duelling was abolished no one was allowed to take the law into his own hands. Were it otherwise, the safety of the public would be endangered. The first count upon which the prisoners were charged eased the difficulty of the jury. Because they would have it proved in evidence that the watchman who started the trouble was stoned as he fied for safety, that he had to run for his life, and it was hardly necessary to say that because an Indian who tried to save him met his death in the conflict. In order to commit a breach of the law in this way it was not necessary that the crime intended need be committed. If it were not so a man might fire a revolver in the face of another, and then, if the shot missed its

Evidence was then led,

11.30 a.m.;--

the intent was there.

Cricket. The following will play in the cricket -match - Hougkong C.C. v. Army Ordnane Department-to-morrow, commencing a

mark, get off with saying, 'Pardon me, but

necessary to show that there was reasonable

grounds for coming to the conclusion that

you see I did not hit you. It was merely

Hongkong CU .: Lient A. C. Brett, R.M.L.I., R. H. Carter, R.N., G. A. Cooke, R.N., J. T. Dixon, A. C. E. Elborough, Capt. Fawcett, R.A., Colonel Ferrier, A.P.D., T. C. Gray, P. T. Lamble, Capt. fordeliffe, R.E., and H. Warren. Army Ordnance Dept. :- J. C. A. Lilly. white (Capt.), H. Turner, H. R. Skinner, C. Rutter, H. Tillman, E. P. Bradford, W. T. Burgess, E. McGibbon, F. Bromley, A. 9.30 p.m.:-S. Anscombe, A. E. Hatwell.

Something Like a Funeral.

The foneral of the late Lord Abbot at Kioto was accompanied by 311 injuries, 75. faintings, 7 fights, 121 thefts, 374 pick-79 persons fell into the creeks or ditches. It was a decidedly lively funeral, and many hundred thousand priests and lay people were present, according to the Japan Mail.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY OOSENS the cough, relieves the lungs and opens the secretions. It counteracts sny tendency of a cold to a result pneumonia. It is unequaled for bad colds. eral Agents.

DR PENTECOST AT THE CITY HALL

The evangelistic meeting conducted last night by Mr Pentecoat was held in the theatre at 5.15 o'clock. The attendance has further increased, and there is no mistaking the signs of awakened and sustained attention that characterizes the audience at these meetings. This is as it should be. Apart from whole-hearted earnestness in preaching the fundamental truths of Scripture, there is about Dr Pentecost a charm of style and manner, added to a felicity of diction and illustration, which render his addresses noteworthy as models of persuasive and finished

Expounding by further steps the great topic of man's redemption through Christ, the question, why is the blood of Jesus Christ precious was asked and answered in a lucid and forceful address on the atonement offered by the Son of God for the son of man. All through the Bible the shedding of blood is made the basis of the Divine forgiveness. The blood stands for the sacrifice of life, and atonement is the culmination of the incarnation. By the price paid for its redemption, we are permitted to discover how great is the human soul. The difficulty that many carnest minds have in associating salvation with the blood of Christ was next treated wisely and sympathetical y. Some people like to let their minds dwell on the love of God, on the Divine compassion and on the forgiveness' of sins in Christ, who yet fait to see that these are indissolubly connected with the sacrifico offered by the Saviour for the sins of the world. It is not necessary for a person to become a theologian before he becomes a Christian. A child may receive food from his father without knowing the sweat, the toil, the pain and the sorrow that the food cost in the earning. It is a gift of love and what love may mean the child may fail to comprehend or refuse to onement because it does not seem philosophic or because it does not appeal to us minds the measure or criterion of all the truth that God is seeking to teach through the blood of Christ precious, the answer is because it is the blood of Christ. Why is the encrifice of Christ precious? Because it is the sacrifice of Christ. The mystery of blood weighs on the soul. We stare instinctively from the sight of blood that has been shed or poured out, because it stands for the life. When the blood of Prosident, King, or Emperor is shed by murderous hands, the world stands amazed, horrified. Here was the one sacrifico offered up to God, and that one sacrifice meets the whole question. The blood of Christ is precious because it is a sacrifice of the highest life and because of what it cost to make the sacrified. We are to guard against think ing of God as a dreamy, almost unconscious being. He may not be thus conceived of, for he is a Person, not a mere force-a. Being who thinks and wills and chooses, loves and bates. God hates sin. To call upon all our resources when giving is to give more than things-it is to give ourselves. Dr. Pentecest's power of illustrat-

ing his discourses was here seen to the best advantage. Two stories-one of Faraday, the eminent chemist. lecturing on Mother's tears, and another of a young recruit joining a cavalry regiment to take part in the Civil War in America-were gems of their kind, worthy of their setting Dr Pentocost concluded with the reminder that the blood of Christ is precious | been impressed with the number of because it is the only ground of redemption. there is no other name under heaven given among men whereby we must be saved. God could devise no other way, so he gave up His Son. Here the teaching was en-

forced by the relation of an incident drawn

from the speaker's early life-the story being told with a realistic force that we have seldom seen aurpassed. To be understood and appreciated, Dr Pentecost must be listened to. No report can represent at all adequately his power as an exponent of Evangelical Christianity. We trust that the end for which he came to Hongkong will be fully answered. It is much to gain from any man a deeper realization of the presence of God. This knows ledge, - at once the best consolation and the highest inspiration for human life, may well be sought in the Evangelistic meetings at the City Hall .- Contributed.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory :- -On the 20th at 11,45a. The barometer

has risen over Japan, fallen on the China The high pressure area has spread Eastwards and is contral between the E. coast of China and W. Japan. Moderate monsoon in the Formos Channel and decreasing mensoon over the

N. part of the China Sea-Forecast :- moderate E. winds ; fair.

Ran off with the Cash Box.

It is alleged that two Chinese ran off with the cash box belonging to the proprietor of the Japanese Shooting Saloon at 113, Queen's Road East, a few nights ago. The box contained \$276. The Chinese were brought before Mr Hazeland at the Magistracy, to-day, and remanded:

Music at Hongkong Hotel. By kind permission of Major Radcliff and Officers, the Band of the 33rd Burn Infantry will play at the Hongkong Hote to-morrow (Saturday) evening, from 8 to

March .... 'Coronation March 'Saint George Overture... Hungarian ' ..........Kêler Bêla A Chinese Honey- Talbot and moon ..... Dance Song ..... The Flight of Agra". ... Bevan Selection ... Reminiscences of ......Godfrey

Dance ..... Hungarian Dance ... Mullen GOD BAVE THE KING.

IT WILL NOT DO

TO fool with a bad cold. No one can tell what the end will be. Pneumonia. estirch, chronic bronchitis and consumption invariably result from a neglected cold. As a medicine for the cure of colds, the demand for what may be called )ld Malwa credit, ...... coughs and influenza, nothing can compare with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always cures and cures quickly. For always cures and cures quickly. For sale of uncut stones, set in Cymric silver, sale by All Dealers; WATKING Ltd., Gen- by All Dealers; WATKING Ltd., General

LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) LONDON, January 16.

I think I am perfectly correct in saying that in no other City in the world are the sufferings of the sick poor so expeditiously and skilfully attended Stretched over the Metropolis there are immense and numerous Hospitals, staffed with the cleverest men. who give to each individual case all the care and knowledge of which they are possessed. These are mostly supported by voluntary contributions on the part of the public, who have ever proved themselves ready to supply the money necessary to provide medical aid for those who cannot afford to pay for such out of their own pockets. But a fee ing of great irritation has been aroused against the authorities at St. Bartholo mew's Hospital consequent on their announcement that through the powerful medium of a Mansion House Fund trimming. they intend to appeal to the charitable for subscriptions towards the extension of their domicile. One reason for this protest is that St. Bartholomew's is one of the wealthiest of the Hospitals, with an income of £80,000 to £90,000. it is rightly felt that authorities should draw on its capitrather than take money which would be diverted from poorer but equally deserving Institutions. This was the plan followed out by the London Hospital, and the King has prorecognize. Nor may we reject the at- mised to open their new premises himturns on the question whether it would pos Dock Co. the gift of His Son. If it be asked why is not be more profitable to sell the site where the proposed new departments will be erected (where Christ's Hospital once stood), and carry out the plan, about which so much has been said of late, of building a new Hospital just outside London on cheaply-rented ground. and establishing receiving stations in the heart of London as is now done in Paris. The enormous rents which would be obtainable for ground in the

> There is scarcely a pleasure-seeker in our vast Metropolis who has not said goodbye to the Royal Aquarium without genuine regret. During the nearly 27 years of its existence, it passed through many vicissitudes, but it. has always been a popular resort for all classes and all tastes, and I have often either a dog show or an exhibition of chrysanthemums, or watching with bated breath some extraordinary exploit such as Diavolo Looping the Loop.' It is strange to think of this building which has so long catered for our amusement passing into the hands of the Methodists, who have bought it to serve as a great central meeting place for their denomination. On the closing night, Mr Ritchie delivered a speech referring to the wondrous collection of freaks and during performances which had been seen inside its walls, and his hearers could not help feeling that it would be an unmitigated blessing if it could only be arranged that so able an organiser could take up the directorship of the Crystal Palace, which will sadly miss Mr Henry Gillman, who did so much to retrieve the fallen fortunes of this place of entertainment, and whose early death some have attributed to the worry attendant on the conduct of its tangled affairs. In the hands of smart business man, with perfect freedon of action allowed him, the Palace, with its spacious apart ments, its skating rink, and beautiful grounds, could be made one of the most charming haunts for jaded Lon-

capital untouched.

Not in the days when silks and satins graced the forms of our male friends was freer use made of beautiful and elaborate embroideries than is nowadays the case. Perhaps the thought of the Delhi Durbar, which months before its actul happening was in the minds of folks at home, is responsible for this artistic style, with a view of imitating, in some small degree, the splendour of the Orient. Nothing is more fashionable on a tailor-made gown than a narrow edging of Indian trimming, worked profusely with gold thread and mixed with the palest blue or red or pink, according to the wearer's taste. Jewellers are having a happy time with barbaric ornaments, consisting mostly which are wonderfully effective and

correspondingly expensive. To such craze has this extended that many of the very largest milliners have separate departments for the sale of these accessories to the smart woman, who, when she has chosen her dress, has to turn very serious attention to the choice of a suitable noveau art buckle, must chain of precious stones, or the pendant with pear-shape pearls which is now growing as popular as the locket, without which twenty years ago no girl would be seen. Evening dresses display the same love of Eastern richness, and instead of the rounded berthe of which we have seen so much lately, we have a square decolletage with a fichu coming right over the shoulders gem-inscrted entbreidery, which usually ends in a point at the waist. The sleeves also will no longer tolerate the

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

A SUGGESTION.

fluffy little wristlet of some sof

finished off by a plain band of this new

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL' Hongkong, February 20, 1903. SIR,-As Doctor Johnson aptly remarked. 'The curse of assemblies for the discussion of public affairs is the opportunity they afford for the indulgence in exuberant and unnecessary verbosity by individuals, possibly intelligent, but certainly, too greatly enamoured of the sound of their own vocal attenueces.

I shall take the libercy of harping on an old string and hazarding the following preself in the coming spring. Another phesy and advice, with regard to next Monpersonally. We may not make our own argument against the course proposed day's meeting of the Hongkong and Whani- LAST NIGHT!

> Hickory, Dickory Docka! Some one as Jack in the Box ! If the public is wise, Hongkong will arise And shut down the lid of the Box.

-Yours, etc., SHAREHOLDER.

The Straits Currency.

The Straits Times of the 10th inst. says :- It now seems practically assured that the Straits Settlements are to have a gold standard of coinage. The incident is one of the most vital importance to this City would more than cover the cost of part of the world, and we doubt not but that the finding of the Currency Commisthe erection and would leave the reserve sion will prove of abiding benefit to these Settlements and the Native States. Tomorrow we hope to publish two interesting arguments, pro and con a silver dollar, and therein, it sems, the arguments in favor of a gold standard are overwhelming .- The Singapore Free Press of the name date says :- The item in the telegrams to day of more immediate concern is that, relating to the forthcoming report of the Straits Currency Commission. Not that the Standard has anything very definite to clergymen I have met when attending save that it appears to be generally received in the City that the Commission has some specific recommendation to make, and that will amount to advising the Government to repeat in the Straits the monetary experiment already in action in India Indeed, with Sir David Barbour as Chairman of the Commission, the proba ilities were rather in the direction of some such solution, due allowance being made for difference of local currency conditions. The retention of the dollar, steadied to a determined gold basis, is implied in the foreshadowing of the report referred to. 'If the analogy with the Indian currency be a close one, then it might be anticipated that the dollar value would be determined slightly over its bullion value, but silver having fallen since the rupee was steadied by restriction of min-

tage, it is probable that the steadied

dollar would not widely diverge from

its market value. The advantage of allor-

ting to it so convenient a value as one shil-

ling and eightpence will have been fully

considered, and it is just possible that this

12 to 1 ratio may be adopted-that is, if

the dollar be retained as the unit of local

currency. Of course all this is merely

guess based upon the analogy with

India, as the belief in London goes. But

at any rate we shall know very soon what

currency methods have been proposed by

the Commission, and it does not appear to

be profitable for the present to speculate as

to what these may be.

Temperature. HONGRONG, February 20, 1903. 4 P.M .... THERMOMETER- 9 A.M.... 1 P.M. ... 61 4 P.M. ... 61 (Wet hulb) 9 A.m. 64

Do. 1 M. 53

Da. 4 P.M. 53

De. Minimum over night 58 Opium Quotations. Hongkong, February 20, 1903.

Do. Maxim ..... 61

Old Patna, cash, ..... New Benares, cash, ..... 10175 Old Benares, cash, ..... New Malwa, credit, ..... 1020/1030 Allowance. Tsels, Last Year, 1050/1000 Allowance Taels .....

Allowance, Taels, ..... Persian, Oily, cash, ..... Allowance, Taols, ..... Persian, Paper tied, ............ 700 Allowance, Taels .....

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE COMPETITION TO MORROW. I the 21st Inst., will be for SPOONS, commencing at 2.30 p.m. Ranges 700

and 800 yards; 10 shots and a sighter at each Range, M. S. NORTHCOTE.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 20, 1903.

THE ANNUAL DEVONIAN DINNER will be held at the Hongkong Club on SATURDAY, 14th March, at 8 o'clock Any Devonians wishing to attend are

reguested to Communicate with the Under-MOWBRAY B. NORTHCOTE, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 20, 1903.

TO LET.

ARGE AIRY BEDROOM, with A DRESSING ROOM attached, on the Macdonnell Road, suitable for Lady and material, but insist on being tight, Gentleman, or Two Gentlemen, from 1st save for a queer little pull at the elbow,

> CATE Of. CHINA. MAIL OFFICE. Hongkong, February 20, 1903.

ROYAL CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

Conder the direc- Mr. Robert Brown. Representative ... Mr. ALLAN HAMILTON. TO-NIGHT (FRIDAY),

20th FEBRUARY. THE BROUGH COMEDY CO. ARE YOU A MASON?

There is an old maxim: 'The most wasted of all days is that on which one has not laughed.

LAST NIGHT!! LAST NIGHT !!!

'ARE YOU A MASON?

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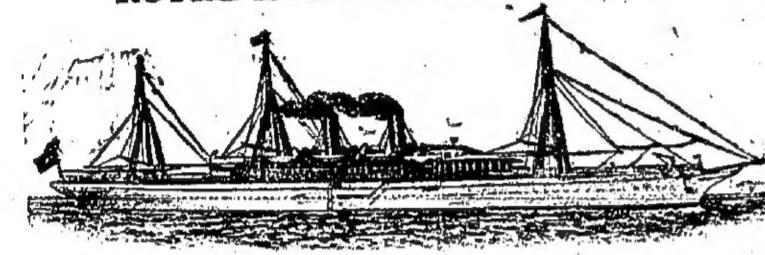
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STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX;

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N MONDAY, the 23rd Feb., at 1 p.m., the Company's Steamship COEANIEN. Captain Guious, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for MAR-SEILLES Via BOMBAY.

This Steamer connects at Colombo with the s.s. Australien, which vessel takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving that port on the 7th March, 1963, direct to Suez, Port Said and Marseilles. Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and accopted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 22nd Feb., 1903. (Parcels are 5th not to be sent on board; they must be left

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Company's Office, G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, February 10, 1903.

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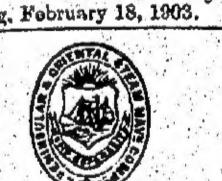
Hongkong, February 17, 1903. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

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TICE TO CONSIGNEES.	ICE MAKING.	Hongkong, May 1, 1900. 1517	Acting Manager.	Heart, -Young Sum each 6	Pine-apples, 1st quality,—Shoung Poon Ti
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ointed hour. All Claims must be within ten days of the steamer's	Hongkong, February 11, 1903. 293	Honokono Branch—Interest allowed. On Current Account at the Rate of 3%	For 12 months, 41 % per annum.	Geese,—Ngoi 19	Brassica,—Pak Choi 3
ere, after which date they cannot mised. No Claims will be ad-	BSTABLISHED 10; 2.	on fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per	3 7 3 7	Geese, Wild Sh'ai,—Sh'ai Yer Ngoi, pair 上海野糕 Musk Deer,—Wong Keng each St.— 首原	Bamboo Shoots,—Cheuk Shun 12
fter the Goods have left the	HOP FUNG, 合	On fixed deposits for 5 months, 4% per	HONGKONG—TEMPORARY OFFICE, PRINCE'S BUILDINGS	Musk Deer,—Wong Keng each \$4.— 黃原 Hare, Shanghai,—Tu Chai 55	Calibage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy 3 Calibage Root,—Kai Lan Tau each 2
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EN' LINE OF'STEAMERS.	ENGINEERING WORK, STEEL BOILER-PLATES,	Hongkong, October 31, 1902. 589	THE BANK OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA)	Hoihow,—Hoi How Pak Kup. ,, 30 海口白德	Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Cho fa 10.
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VISITORS AT HOTELS.	SHIPPING.	Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.  Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.		
	ARRIVALS, February 19. Sanuki Maru, Japaneso steamer, 3,787.	To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, communing from	Destination. Vessels. Agents. Dete of Legenius	
r W. S. Bailey Mr E. A. Katsen W r M. Baring Mr S. N. Kinagawa — Dr S. Kobayashi	Hailan, French str., 377, L. Andersen,	dway between each shore are marked e. in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.  Section.	Australian Ports Empire (s)	
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fr and Mrs R. W.Mr and Mrs J. D.  Borthwick Michall  F. H. Bowers Mr Midyushims	Indrapara, British steamer, 4,898, A. E. Hollingsworth, Portland Or., via Nagasaki Feb. 15. General. Portland & Asiatic	6. From Peddar's Wharl to the Naval Yard.  Vessels' Names.	Manila	
Mr & Mrs N. Braman Mr. and 2178 20 V.	Steamship Co. Shukano Maru, Japaneso str., 3.064, T. Oseki, Moji Feb. 15, Coal.— E. A. Trading		Manila v. Amoy Yuensang (s) Jardine, Matheson & Co Feb. 21, at 3 p.m.  Robilla Marii (s) Jardine, Matheson & Co Feb. 21, at 3 p.m.  Robilla v. Amoy February 27.	
Mr. W. S. Brown Nasbitt	Co. Larange stermer, 1,733.	Baltzer Ger. str. 771 Feb. 12 Jebsen & Co.	Manila, Cebu & Roilo Kiukiang (s) Butterfield & Swire February 24.  Marseilles & Antwert Pyrrhus (s) Butterfield & Swire February 28.  Marseilles, London, & Sanuki Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Feb. 21, Daylight.  Marseilles, London, & Sanuki Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Feb. 23, at 1 p.m.	
Sir.F. and Lady Car-Mr. & Mrs Ollis and	JEFFRIES.	Arah	Marseilles via Saigon. Oceanien (s,	
Hen. De F. Clark Payne  Mr and Mrs F. ()  Mr G. E. Colo Ranney	Moji Feb. 15. Cost JARDINE, JAKTELLA.	Chr Yuen	New York v. Suez Canal Gibraltar (8) Showan, Tomes & Co. February 24.  New York v. Suez Canal Gibraltar (8) Showan, Tomes & Co. February 24.  Shanghal. Loongmoon (8) Siemssen & Co. February 25.  Shanghal. Valetta (8) P. & O. S. N. Co. February 25.	
Mr. J. S. Colson Mr. J. Rankin Mr. H. Danks Mr. E. Riemand Mr. J. Robinson	Shanghai via Swatow Pes. 18, General.	Daiya Maru	Shanghai	
Mr J. W. Derbyshire Mr A. B. Ross	Batton, Singapore Pet. 12.	Eld 708 Pet.	S'hai and Portland, Or. Indrasambs (8) Portland & A. S. Co. April 16.	
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Mr. H. G. Fisher Mr T. C. Stafford	Saigon Feb. 14 General SANDER, WILLES	Hingsing	S'tow, Amoy & Apping Maidzurn Maru (s) Osaka Shoson Kaisha. Marek 4. S'tow, Amoy, Foochow Anping Maru (s) Osaka Shoson Kaisha. Webraary 25. Tientsin	
Mr. J. I. Gayoso Miss Temple Mr. O. Georg Mr. O. Terkelson	Glasgow, via Liverpool and Singapore Peter 14. General.—Butterfield & Swire.	fyo Maru	Vancouver (B.C.), & Empress of Japan (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co March 11.  Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Athenian (s) Sanadian P'fic R. Co March 18.  Victoria via Japan, &c. Achilles (s) Butterfield & Swire Rebruary 21.	
Mr H. Haardt Mr J. A. Thomas Mr B. F. Hamersley Dr J. C. Thomson Mr & Mrs Harmon Maj. & Mrs E. Tudor,	Kunngtuh, Chinese str., from Canton.	Kuskiang	Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Shawmut (a) Dodwell & Co., Ltd February 20. Victoria, B.C., Seattle Tyo Maru (a) Sippon Yusen Kaisha, F. b. 24 at 4 p.m. Yma.S'hai, Moij, Kobe Candia (b)	
Mr A. Hayter R.E. Mr R. G. Heckford Miss M. Wakeler	15, Mails and General - MEICHARS &	Kwangiah Chi. str. 1535 Feb. 15 C. M. S. N. Co.	I mais mai, mon, recommendation (2)	
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Mr. A. Loringsworth Mr. R. D. Webster Mr. T. Howard - Mrs. A. M. Whitton	Zufiro for Manila.	Pitsanulok	SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.	
Mr D. Jaffé child	Benlowers, for Rangoon. Tholes, for Swatow. Holhun, for Halphong.	Pompey	FEBRUARY 20, 1903	
Mr and Mrs L. C.Mr R. H. Wood  Junes Mr and Mrs C. E	Hanoi, for Holhow.  Hangsang, for Canton.  Deniwongse, for Amoy.	Sandakan	Dock Stucks. Shares. Paine. 10%. Cash.	
Mr and Mrs Joseph, Dr & Mrs H. Wrigh 10, S. Capt. G. Yamashita	CLEARED.	Selun	National Bank of China, Limited 19,970 £ 10 £ 8 \$221, buyers 29,955 £ 10 £ 8 \$221, buyers	
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Miss Arbuthnot R.A.M.C.  Alr Andrew Beattie Mr G. C. Linds:	Sanuki Maru, for Singapore and London  Telemachus, for Saigon.  Chanahan, for Amov.	Taiwan	China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld 5,000 £ 100 £ 25 Tis. 130, buyers North-China Insurance Co., Ld 30,000 \$ 100 \$ 20 31, nominal Straits Insurance Co., Ld 10,000 \$ 250 \$ 100 \$ 100	
Mr Ralph A. Bra R.N.	PASSENGERS.	Tritos	Tangtaze Insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 & 100 & 60 \$133, buyers  FIRE INSURANCES. 20,000 & 100 20 \$864, buyers	
Mr H. F. R. Brayne Mr A. P. B. M	Per Samuki Macu. (rom Shanghai, & for Hengkong, Capt. J. Robinson, Mer	Wingsang 3 cRolfo British str. 1128 Feb. 19 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Manila Feb. 2.	1. China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 8,000 \$ 250 50 \$3272 sellers  Books, Etc. 50,000 \$ 50 all \$206, sellers	
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Growell Post Mrs Mrs W. A. C. Cant. & Mrs P. R.	Jackson, and M. Yanuszaki; for Antw- Mr and Mrs Williamson and child. Per Nestor, from Singapore, 29 : Chin	Ama Maru, January 2; Indicamayo, Seneca, 6; Shanghai, Lennox, Tan- Latest Advices.  Latest Advices.	Star Ferry Company, Ld: 10,000 \$ 10 8 5 \$14 Shall Transport & Trading Co., Ltd. 2000,000 £ 1 £ 1 £1.10, sales & sellers	
Mrs E. Edwards Mr T. H. Reid	Per Zafiro, for Maoila, Mr and Mr Tapaka, Messrs F. J. Mitchell, F.	B. Am. Gladogan, Ocono 23; Gleat- ult., left Saigon on Friday, the 20th	Taku Tug and Lighter Co., Ld 8,600 Tls. 50 Tls 50 Tls. 53, buyers. 6,000 Tls. 100 Tls. 150, huyers	
Ferrier, A.P.D. sey, R.N. Mrs W. Grant Fitch Mrs W. E. Sawer and companion Mr Charles R. Sco	DEE	Fredhirg, 31; Marie Voterie, Schlaria, pected nero on Statistical Advice, September 3; Bombay, Advice, 23rd February. This Packet brings	China Sugar Company, Limited 20,000 S 100 all \$102, sellers	
Major G. A. French, Mrs H. G. Sherbrook, A.S.C. Lieut. H. G. Sh. Dr Robert Gibson brooke, R.N.	The British steamer Indeamara repe	orts: cas, Jana, Konigsberg, Kawachi Maru, Hongkong on the 20th December.  Atholl, Peleus, Sheikk, 10; Hilachi  Nemuro, 29.88 N	b Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ld 7,000 Ths. 50 The 50 Ths. 70; sellers	
Mr and Mrs E. F.Mr A. Sinclair  Gros Mr Harrison F. Sm  Maj. A. B. Hamilton Mrs Harrison E. Sm  Lieut. Comdr. Ermss. Mr W. O. C. Spal	nith The British steamer Wingsmen repe	The tide table given below has been Tokin	Shanghai and Hengkew Whar Co 20,100 Its. 100	
Mra Hardy Mr A. G. Stokes	lek. From Moji Feb. 15th, light wind to st monsoon weather, sky clear. The British steamer Nester repo	Mails. in London from the result of the analysis Magasaki 30.34 — NW	Agency Company, Limited 39,000 Tls. 50 Fis.50 Tls. 113. sellers	
Mr S. Hebden Mr A. P. Stokes Mr H. U. Jeffries Mr S. T. Wenborn Mr R. H. King Mr P. L. Williams LtCol. & Nrs E. B.		February, at daylight, and may be the years 1887-8-9. The zoro of the table corresponds with Taiboku I p. 30.45 NE	Wei-hei-wei Land & Building Co., Ld 3,764 Tis. 25 Tis. 20 Tis. 16	
CONNAUGHT HOUSE.	POST OFFICE NOTICES.  MAILS will close:—	expected here on or about Wednesday, the zero of the soundings in the Admiralty Taichu	In	
Mr and Mrs W. F. Mr G. E. Leo Bebell Mr & Mrs J. H. I Mr H. T. Begley Mr. A. McIntyre	May   For AMOY.— . Per Chunshan, at 11 a.m., on Satu- the 21st February.	day, port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 Weihaiwei. 3 p. 30.42 42 - No.	1 by Juleby Mining & Trading Co., Ld., 60,000 S 5 10h S1; sellers	
Mr W. Boyce Mr F. W. Pash Mr & Mrs Brewitt & Mr R. Paterson family Mr and Mrs All	bert For MOJI & KOBE.— Per Nonkin, at 1 p.m., on Saturday 21st February.	Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 5th Feb.  Feb.  The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India arrived at Kobe at 8.30 a.m. on 21th to 27th February.  Sharp I'k., 30.46 50 88 ENE the height given in the table.  Swatow 3 p. 30.37 61 — se Canton 30.32 69 65 s	Preference shares 30,000 \$ 1 all to cents, kellers  b Société Française des Charbon- 18,000 Fes. 250 all \$600 sellers  nages du Tonkin	
Miss G. Brown Mr A. Cameron Mr N. H. Robert Mr J. R. Campbell Mr D. H. Ruther	BOD FOR AMOY & MANILA	Tuesday, the 17th Feb., and left again at noon on Wednesday, the 18th Feb., High Warks. Low Warks. Hongkong 4 p. 30.32 58 60 E had here she is due to ar-	4 - HOTELS, ETC.	
Mr H. Fyre Mrs John Stewar Mr H. N. Ferrers Mr C. B. Thomas	t For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSU	Tive at moon, on transact, the true   22 (25)   25   25   25   25   25   25   25	Oriente Hotel, Manual 2,000 T. Tls. 50 Tls. 50 Tls. 140 S 2 o Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai) 30,000 S 25 \$ 25 \$321, sales	
Mr P. Friedrichsen Mr S. N. W. Tib Mr G. Fullaway Misa Susie Vaugh Misa R. Gibson Mr Leslie Victor	han Per Daigi Maru, at 9 a.m., on Su the 22nd February.	Hamburg, left Singapore for this port Sun 22 m 7 33 3 9 m 0 24 3 4 Bacolod , 30.00 83 — NE	3 h Watkins Limited 10,000 \$ 10 8 10 88, sales	
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Mr W. Humphreys Mr W. H. William Mr R. Kere	day, the 21st February.	from Seattle and Tacoma, left Moji Ther. 26 m 0 20 4 6 m 2 47 1 1 on 19th February at daylight for Hong- Fri. 27 m 0 35 4 8 m 3 18 1 0 Wilostock, 7 a [30,22] 12 121 w	New Electrics new cer's 50,000 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$211, buyers	
Mr A. S. Anton Capt. McCracken	t the zist reprusiv.	rday, The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Sungkiang left Manila   Hakodate.', 30.17   Tokio   30.26   Nw   Tokio   30.26   Nw	1 Investment Co., Ld 20,000 \$ 50 \$ 15, buyers    Hell's Asbestos Eastern Agency.   2,000 £ 12/6 £ 12/6 \$1, buyers	
Capt. Van Corbach Commander W. Mr and Mrs L. E. Nicholson, R.N. Mr Francis C. Po	Y. For KOBE.— Per Hinsang, at 10 a.m., on Monda	on the 21st February.	2 — 17 to d Asbestos Oriental Agency, 1 9,000 ord'y \$ 10 \$ 4 384, feliers 2 — 15 mited 100 fders \$ 10 \$ 10 \$155	
Mr G. N. Fairhurst Mr E. C. Pontife Mr F. Focke Mr J. M. delos H Mr C. H. P. Hay Mr and Mrs M. J	Reis For TIENTSIN	nday, The N. Y. K. Kagashimu Maru left Kobe	Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd 7,000 8 71 all \$11. buyers	
Col. G. A. Hughes, Stephens R.A.M.C. Capt. Stokes, R.	N. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.	via Moji, for this port on the line with sight1/7 to Tainan 1. 30.33 — NE light here on the 22nd Feb. Di. 1 1.78— Koshun 1. 30.33 — NE	Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd 7,200 \$ 5 8 5 nomical	
Capt. & Mrs H. KrebsMr A. Stucken Captain Langlands, Mr & Mrs Wilgre A.O.D. Master Wilgress	23rd Feb., with Mails to the U	the new N. D. L. steamer Borneo (intendiged for Hongkong Sandakan Line), in Borlin—  Inited Singapore on the morning of 14th Con Demand.	Herglong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. 120. \$ 10 \$ 10 \$17, sellers.  2 cv Ego Cotton Spinning and Weav- 17,500 Tis. 10 Tis. 37	
Mr T. Lauts  PEURAM HOUSE.	Kingdom, the Continent of Et and places beyond, via Marseille Saigon, Straits Settlements, Ba	rope, Feb., and may be expected here about On New York—  the 21st Feb.  On demand, Swatow 9 a. — 30.12 58 53	o International Cotton Manufacture 10,000 Tls. 75 Tls. 75 Tls. 35	
Mr & Mrs Bonjean Mr H. I. Ling	Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Alasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibralt	the bore on the morning of 17th Feb., and by Bombay—  is due here on 23rd Feb.  Wire,  Wire,  Wire,  Canton  Hongkong 10 a. 30.41 59 56 EE  Wire,  Vict. Peak	and Weaving Co., Ld	
Mr Alfred C. Broad-Mr James McDon bridge Mr McIntyre Mr J. Chalmers Mr G. Osborne	Registration at 10 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10	The Straits on 12th Feb., and may in Calcutta-	Chine Rowner Company, Ltd. 7,500 8 20 8 15 823, sellers	
Mr and Mrs W. S.Mr H. Ottoway Collins Mr B. L. Palmer Mr Alfred Cooke Mr B. Peniston	up to 10.45 a.m.) Letters at 11 a.m. Lato Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m.	March. The P. & A. S.S. Co.'s steamer Indrasamha On Singapore— On demand, 1 % pm. Malate 9s. — — NW 1  Left Portland, Oregon, for this port via m Manile 1 % pm. Bacolod	Campbell, Moore & Co., Limi ed 1,200 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$10.10, buyers	
Mr J. Robinson Mr J. Dean Mr H. Rubie Mr James W. Elliot Mr W. T. Shutt	Postage 10 cents.	Yokohama, Kobe, Moji and Nagasaki On demand, Par. Cebu 30.13 81 — N Con Wednesday, the 11th Feb., and In Shanghai.— C. S. James 10a. — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ld 20,000 \$ 50 \$ 50 \$30 sellors	
Mr A. H. Gorostisa Mr Percy J. Spur Mr J. T. Hawks Mr E. T. Thwaite Mr R. Hommings Mr E. Warder	Previous On date at On o	The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Cendia left Singa- ate at the P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Cendia left Singa- On Yokohama—  773  The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Cendia left Singa- On Yokohama—  773	A h-mbra Limited	
Rev H. Goodman Mr Edgar West Johnson	Barometer 30.34 30.46 3	The C. M. S. N. Co.'s steamer Ningchow Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)\$12.62 Hougkong Observatory, Feb. 20, 1	903.	
THE WAVERLEY HOTEL.	Temperature 61 58 Humidity 71 66	left Victoria, B.C. of 14th Petronal, ilver per ex.  1. Baronerra, reduced to 39 degrees Pah and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths, at The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. Hyades  The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. Hyades  Versals AT THE DOORS:—At Kowloom.—  Traversals in the shade, in degrees	od bun-	
Mr J. Cottor Rognon Mr A. H. Crock Mr R. P. Sharpe	Force 1 4 Weather 0	2nd February.  H.I.G.M.S. 1112, Attitudes, Housen't, in percentage of saturation, the The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Victoria sailed from Membell Compania de Filipinas, Sherman, dity of air saturated with moisture being 100.	e humi	
Mr D. Hollis Mr Templeman Mr Charles W. Mar Mr H. B. Townson	ilitor. I - Highwat open all temperature ou cue toss	The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Alkenian left Van- Holstein.	clouds, tolug,	
Mr R. A. R. Meiklem have Mr M. G. Moffatt Mrs Woodward Mr Lewis C. Rees children	Lowest open air temperature on the 18th	Cosmopolitan.—Savoia.  February, for Hongkong, via the usual  Aberdeen.—Namsang.		